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THE ROLTH'S PROGRESS.

It is always a pleasure to note evidences of Southern development and the calm conadderation of this prowth and general expansion inviriably results to greater satisfaction with existing conditions and encouragement and hope for the failure, to every intelligent business man, or resident of the South.

ST LeCUS-The Women's Presisterian Board of Missions of the resident of the South. every implifient business man, or resident

betokening this Southern progress and the closing the vast resources of the section the countries of the section to the first testing and the closing the vast resources of the section to the countries. and its assured bright future, are more intelligently and yet compactly grouped and presented than in a recent editorial ref-terence in the New York Sun. The New York luminary cays. York luminary says.

with this development and magnificent condition the South does not present those extremes of prosperity and depression, side by side, which are seen in other sectionsthe general progress and casy conditions are more thoroughly distributed than else. where. There is not the individual nor the aggregate want and suffering that are found in other portions of the country. For every man out of work in the South, who honestly seeks work, there are two men hunting employment in the East, in the Middle length of the seeks with the seeks with the middle length of the seeks with the seeks work are two men hunting employment in the East, in the Middle length of the length of Maine, to be onvoy extraordinary and minister plenipotents. Postmarkers—Arkansas: James K. Sewall of Maine, to be onvoy extraordinary and minister plenipotents are length of the length

States and the West, if newspaper accounts are true. There is contentment in the South where there is restlessness claswhere. The farmers, notably in Texas, are in better condition, the banks are easier and business generally more stable—as statistics and events for several years past have proven.

The conditions in the Southern States, of course, arise largely from the fact tha the cotton erop renders us practically independent of causes of depression in other parts of the United Stales. To an extent it is true we are affected by the National staunation and scarcity of money in circulation and could destre better times throughout the Nation, but we are less affeeted unquestionably than is the East or West, particularly the latter.

Ex-Senator Hill is said to be busily at mocracy in New York. The democracy in New York and elsowhere and the soon about with a lantern is daylight hunting

The Hon. John W. Foster appears to be custodian of the republican party's

Importers are not paying much attention to the house bloff of a retroactive clause o the term tell. The result will be a won-

revolution in Hondurus. The fact is

a resolution to aspend the rules.

York luminary mays.

Last year's cotton crup of the South was 2.557,000 bales, or \$2 per cort of the whole world's prediction can be considered to the south was the products combined. The total cotton production since from all the price in 100 production since from all the price in 100 in exactor lighters at the \$10,000 per the exactor lighters at the \$10,000 per the exactor lighters at \$10,000 per the exactor lighters at

NOMINATIONS.

Three Texas Postmasters Named by the President. Washington, April 22.—The president

sent to the senate the following nomina-

State-Harold M. Sewall of Maine, to be

THE CREVASSE WIDENING.

Break at Promised Land More Serions Than Pirst Reported.

BACK WATER IS RISING RAPIDLY.

Orleans-Sufferers Are Crowded in Quarters, at Vicksburg.

Memphis, Tenn., April 22 -The break at Promised Land, in Issaquena county, Misat first supposed. The crevasse has widened considerable since last night and the water is pouring through in great volume. Many places heretotore high and dry are being inundated and the water is rising

At Memohis the river is stationary to-night.

SITUATION AT VICKSBURG.

Sufferers Badly Crowded-Tents to Be Put Up.

Vicksburg, Miss., April II.-The Valley Route completed today an inspection of its riverside division. Many miles of track re washed off the roadbed, the latter is

of relief are being very strictly our

PROMISED LAND BREAK.

Feet Deep-Losses Heavy. Greenville, Miss., April 22. The latest

ews today from the Promised Land break, carrilling rapidity, and the country is of sampaign approved by the sultan to take overflowed. Great has of mules and this already resulted, and it is except that homan life is afready lost in that homan life is afready lost in the beyon country, where people be other by wav of Volo and the other homestress safe from any further officers suffering among the refugees and held until heavy indemnity is paid.

Apprehension at New Orleans. New Orleans, April 22 - Several bad and prompt work was required to make from secure. There is more fear from

SHORT ALMS STORIES.

NEW YORK The Bernil correspondent tile de Jameiro, Brozil, telegraphs that e commercial ories there has reached worst point.

EVERGIBLEN, Ala. In a wreck on the subsyle and Nashylle, Fortner Adams, a freman and two negroes were faulty

MINNY APPOLIST The Northwestern Mil-ler reports the output of their for the past week at 17,720 barrels, against 20,500 same WASHINGTON-An understanding has

tobed that the senate will not do

totaly.

(ASHVILLE, Tenn. - Colonel Leon cyclair, a Confederate and Mexicon vota widows known incombout the South, lower, need to years, the was for years dior in chief of the Menghis Appeal. r in class of the Memphis Appeal.

Nigery The United States AmbassaColonel John Hay, accompanied by
ceretary of the emission, called at the
em office and saw the permanent offi,
of that detartment of the govern-

Next. VIENNA-The spring review of the gar-tion of Vienna took pince. Emperor Francis Joseph, Emperor William, the refedition, calcular masters, monders of he lipidinate corps and all the prominent facts disnostries were bettern.

LITTLE ROCK-General Powell Clayton ft for St. Leans. He was suffering from severe attack or throat trouble and ould searcely speak above a whisper. KANSAS CITY, Mo Miss Magnic Rols-on, sister-in-law of Frank James, testi-cal aguinet John Kennedy, on trail for the Blue Cut train robbey, her ovidence sing very simusing. During the testi-cony Kennedy's artitude was defaird and of frequently declared that the witness ed.

WASHINGTON Sensor Butler introduced a number of amendments to the scriff lell, putting cotton des, salt and fuce fabrica on the free left, increasing the duries on fice in the hull to I cast per lound, decreasing the duty on coal larger form and indicag clearer specifications than those of the Dingley bill on whos.

WASHINGTON One of the problems of the sense finance committee in bandling the sense finance committee in bandling the sense of power in the finance committee. He has been made acquaints of with the work of the committee so far as it has progressed, and it is understood the les authended the train maters office. He was granted the train that the work of the committee in the sense of power in the finance committee. He has been made acquaints of with the work of the committee so far as it has progressed, and it is understood the less attained with the bill.

HAVANA-II turns out that Kelly, the

HAVANA-It turns our that Kelly, the American who desapteared from Havana a fortuskit ago, went to the insurgent lines, represented himself as an expert in the local dynamite and alleged that the New York lunts had sent him. The insurgent distrusted his story and, considering him a spy, hung him, but the fops broke and

NEW YORK—Buck Compolly, representing Peter Maher, and Dan Lynon, manager of Tom Sharkey, have agreed that
Maher and Sharkey, shall meet in a twelty-five round contest, to be held in the
vicinity on a day to be named, between
May 25 and June 10.

OTTAWA—Firmnese Minister Fielding delivered has businest speech in the house of
commons. Further, the procent year the
public detc had meroscent state and in
would increase during the following year
by at lenst \$2,750,00. The attacked the high

FRANKFORT, Ky.-After several be

NEW YORK-The World's Washington prrospondent says: The sugar trust ! NEW 10th the correspondent says: The sugar trust is making a determined attack on the treaty of reciprocity with Hawaii and is negotiating for the control of the beet sugar interests of this country. FRANCISCO- As a result

Many places heretotore high and dry are sing mundated and the water is rising dourly.

SAN FRANCISCO As a recurrence of the same bloody battle between two convicts in San Quentin prison one is dead and the other dourly.

There is much destitution existing in the

Boxue Phalla country, principally among the poorer class of necroes and a call for immediate aid has been issued.

The situation south of Vicksburg remains practically unchanged. No new breaks in the letters are reported, but restrict surveils lance of the embankments is being kept, both night and day.

At Memble the river is stationary to the letters are reported by the restrict surveils and sand for miles.

ALEXANDRIA, Va. Joseph McCoy, colored, was lynched here for the outrage of his employer's two daughters. He con-

THE TURKISH FLEET.

IT IS DESCRIBED AS RIDICULOUS. SAID TO BE UNSEAWORTHY.

Sultan's Plan of Campaign Said to Be to Advance on Athens in Two Columns

London, April 22. The Standard's correspondent at Constantinople describes the Turkish fleet, and characterizes its appearance as ridiculous. He save six-inch substance the heaviest carried. The capguiss are the heaviest carried. The cap-lates of all the war vessels in the bardan-elles, including the torsels boats, notified. Over, Hala l'asha that the feet is unfit for sea. The vessels have therefore been ordered as substitutional the size of the control of the contro

Second Turkish Fleet. Dardanelles, April 22.—6 35 a. m.— A secand Turkish fleet has found the first fleet in the bay of Nagara.

Denounces Summary Expulsion. London, April 22.-The Greek legation has received a dispatch from M. Skouzes. forring to the order for the expulsion of ill Greeks from Turker at the expiration of the runture of diplomatic relations tween Greece and Turkey, he says the

Will Protect Greek Catholics. French ambassador, has notified the porte pended sailings during the continuance of the war.

bregulars Returned.

ulars have returned here from their raid into Macedonia.

WEATHER AND CROPS.

Harwood, Texas, April 21.-Weather is fine and farmers are getting up with their crops. No rain needed,

Burnet, Texas, April 20.—Seasons have been fit and all creps are looking well in this county. Farmers are much encour-aged at the outlook.

Sandy Poist, Toxas, April 20.—The cool nights are having a had effect on cotten already up and the planters say that this aiready up and the planters say that this is the most backward spring seen here for years. In many places cotton has been planted three times and every one has had to plant ever ones. Cano stubble is coming out well and plant cane has aiready been scraped. Corn looks flourishing and with favorable season the yield will be large.

SHORT TEXAS SPECIALS.

EAGLE PASS Dr. Tarver has gone to of General Bee

EAGLE PASS—A policeman was seri-ously stabled on the Mexican side of the river yesterday. He reproved a drunken Mexican and received a challenge to fight. He laid down his gun and accepted the challenge, with the result above stated. BRYAN-The young gentlemen in this ity will organize a inilitary company. BRENHAM—The Knights of Pythias have arranged to celebrate Memorial day next Sunday and R. J. Alexander, Esq., of Caldwell will deliver the oration.

Chief Disputcher Hopkins.

Becyllle Young Reporter: On the 4th fact,

BANKRUPTCY BILL PASSED.

Resolution of Sympathy for Greece Referred to Committee.

MORGAN DENOUNCED SPEEKER REED

The House Considered the Amend ments to Indian Bill, Voting Two Down-Opposition to Bailey.

Washington, April 27.-The session of the senate today was one of the most eventful sympathy to the Greeks in their struggle with Turkey. This soon was merged into a turbulent debate over the disorganized state of the senate, during which Senator Morgan characters, during which Senator Morgan characters, and the senate adjourned until Mouday. since congress assembled. It opened with Morgan characterized Speaker Reed as the

express sympathy for the American people DES MOINES, Iowa.-The 5-year-old to the government of Greece. The senator mittee on foreign relations, the resolution was referred, Mr. Davis promising speedy

The debate on senate committees aroused The debate on senate committees aroused Mr. Morgan to a steech of unusual severity. He spoke of "dictatorabite." and of the subordination of public business to polities. He characterized the condition of maction in the house of representatives as the most gleantle and unbeard of filingatering ever attempted, in conclusion, Mr. Morgan said that the spaker of the house who had been known as the "great white coar," should be hereafter known as the "great white filituater." great white filibuster

Another stirring chapter to the same subject was added by Mr. Aller, who proposed a complete cessation of senate bust-bess except to consider amountation bills thus committees were filled. The resolution led to another beated debate, in which Messrs, Chandler, Gear and Aller participated. The resolution is a special order for the consideration of the senate amountment to the lumble Messrs, Chandler, Gear and Aller participated. The resolution field the relation bill. The rule provided participated. The resolution finally went

elies, including the torselo boars, notified Hala Fasha that the fleet is unfit for sea. The vessels have therefore been ordered to return, but singly, so as not to attract public attention.

Orders have been given to mobolize the flesifis of the Fourth corps and twenty batallions of Rediffs of the Turkish army corps.

It is reported that Ahmid Basha has been or level to leave forthwith for the scene of action. It is also reported that the blas of sampaign approved by the pullan to take effect after the capture of larissa is to divide the army into two curis, one of which to march by way of Volo and the

The free homestead bill was made the

Representative Holman, the senate journed as a mark of respect, the adjourn-ment being until next Monday. Washington, April 22. The first reference in congress to the Turko-Greetan war

came soon after the senate opened today, when Mr. Allen of Nebraska introduced the Resolved. That the established policy of the United States of avolding outangling alfrances with the European powers is in no respect violated by our sympathizing with the Christian people of Greece in their pres-ent, heroin struggle sgainst the advance-ment of the Ottoman empire. And that in the indament of the senate it would be a recognition of the wishes of all for the ex-ecutive to express to the government of Greece the sympathy of the senate in the same

Perkins, Pettigrew, Platt of New York, Pritchard, Roach, Sewell, Smith, Spooner, Stewart, Tillman, Turner, Vest, Walthall, Warren, Wellinston, White and Wilson, Nays—Herry, Clay, Gorman, Gray, Lindsay, McEnery, Mergan, Petrus.

On motion of Mr. Hoar it was agreed that addournment be until Monday next.

The free homestoad bill was then taken un.

Mr. Morgan offered an amendment pro-diling that all nublic lands not taken up by public entry by January 1, 1966, shall be granted to the States and Territoriez where the lands are located, for educational

purposes.

The homestend bill was made the uninshed business and then laid aside.

At 4 o'clock a message from the housannounced the death of Representative Holman. Mr. Turche of Indiana presente a resolution voicing the regret with which the announcement was received and provided for a committee of five senators to accompany the remains. The resolution was adorted.

Indian Bill Amendments Considered Without Reference.

Washington, April 22.—The house today idopted a special order for the consideration of the senate amendments of the Indian appropriation bill without reference to a committee. Democratic dissensions again came to the surface, Mr. Battey and declared that the present contest was one his followers joined with the republicans between Christianity and paganism. At the on this proposition after the special order request of Mr. Davis, challman of the comappropriation bills. Mr. Bland of Missouri protested vigorously against the course, but only had a following of twentycourse, but only had a following of twenty-four, not enough to get a second vote. Mr. Simpson of Kansas is out of the city and therefore was not in evidence. The senate amendments of minor im-portance were concurred in except that removing the Indian supply depot from

that until final disposition of the four apsider senate amendments in committee Mr. Bailey declared what he objected to

in the special order was its omnibus char-acter. So far as the Indian appropriation bill was concerned he thought considera-tion in committee of the whole was suffition in committee of the whole was sufficient, but no one could foresee what radical propositions might come back in the sundry civil and general deficiency bills.

Mr. Dalzell made the modification, but Mr. Bland (Dem.) of Missouri, in an impetuous way, voiced the protests of those opposed to Mr. Builey's leadership. The house had plenty of time, he said, and there was no reason why the bill should not go through the regular channels. If a to this

me he had sympathized with the course the gentleman from Texas (Mr. Bailer). It he could not support him when he led to demand that legislation should The previous question was ordered, Mr. alley and his followers voting with the publicans. Only twenty-four members oded against the previous question and it twenty-one against the adoption of the rule. The majority vote was 134. The other half was the previous question and the public bull was the provided by the previous of the previous of the previous provided by the previous previous provided by the previous provided by the previous previous provided by the previous pr seeed regularly.

ritory. The amendments were non-con-curred in. When the amendment relating to the opening of the Uncompangre Indian to the opening of the Uncompalare Indian reservation was reached Mr. Sherman moved non-concurrence, Mr. Kinney of Utah supported the senate amendment and declared that the richness of the glismite beds had been greatly exaggerated.

Mr. Underwood (Dem.) of Alabama said some reports showed that the deposits covered 19,000 square miles and that 23,000,000 from were in several to the constant of th

of the house as an obstruction to National ichief of the house as an obstruction to National ichief of the charge with a resolution providing that no business, legislative or executive, should be considered with the exception of appropriation bills until the committee vacancies had been filled. This created considerable stir on both sides and there was an immediate flood of small bills presented.

Mr. Chandler objected to the consideration of the resolution and after a hot colloauv it went over.

Seen after the senate went into executive session.

When the legislative session was resumed the secrete took up the bankruptcy bill and accounting to the agreement previously entered into, a vote was taken at 2 o'clock. The bill as amended being the Nelson substitute, was passed—yeas 49, nays 8, as follows.

Yeas—Allen, Baker, Bate, Butler, Chandler, Chilton, Clark, Cellom, Davis, Fairbanks, Fornker, Frye, Gear, Hanna, Hansbrungh, Harris of Katsas, Hawley, Heitred Hoar Jones of Arksusas, Kyle, Lodge, Meiride, Memillin, Mactle, Martin, Mason, Mills, Mitchell, Murphy, Nelson, Pasco,

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THE NELSON BANKRUPTCY LAW.

Provisions of the Measure Which Passed the Senate Yesterday -- Vol-

untary and Involuntary Peatures of the Bill.

framed by Senator Nelson of Minnesota, and is simple as compared with the Torrey bill. The bill provides that any debtor other than a corporation owning \$200

or more, who is unable to jusy his debts, may file his petition in the district court

of the United States, offering to surrender all his property for the payment of his

debts except such as is exempt by the law as his domictle. The petition shall

give a schedule of all property, exempt and unexempt and of all creditors and the

Washington, April 22.—The bankraptcy bill, passed by the senate today, was

SMALLPOX IN THE PRISON

American Prisoners at Cobana to posed to the Disease.

INQUIRY WAS MADE BY GENERALLE

Gomez May Be Elected President the Republic to Succeed Charaos-Weyler's Movements.

New York April 22.—A dispatch to a Heraid from Havana cays: Smellpor he made its appearance in Cabana read-mate its appearance in Cabana practhat Melton, an atmerican corresponds and a member of the Compathor tre-contrived to send a note to friends be

cler deae of April 18, in which he tare Smartpox rats appeared in cell No.

INSURGENTS HOLD BANES.

Spanish Squadron Prepares to Remove Torpedoes From the Bay. Huvana, April 22.—Via Key West-Tu asurgents continue holding Banes able to advance on the place, parity account of the flooded country and is

ngainst Banes.

A squadron of Spanish warships, communied by the navel chief of staff, and Micronco, has been at Gibara for the days past preparing to remove the solocs which the insurgents have plants the entrance of Banes bay.

British Ships in Delagon Bay. Lorenzo Marques, Delagon Bay, 17

Lisbon, April 22.-The Portuguese for eign minister, Senor de Soveral, in an le erview this afternoon with reference to the appearance of a squadron of the British warships in Delagon buy, said that Great Britain had assured Portugal of her god

intentions. LABOR MAKES PROTEST

UEDERATION ADDRESSES A NOTE TO MIKINLEY. Wants to See Some of the Prosperty Which Was So Freely Prom

ised Six Months Ago.

Washington, April 22.—A memorial was bers of the cabinet by the executive con-cil of the Federation of Labor, of which President Compers is the head. After calling attention to the depressed conditions labor, it asks the enactment of these mes-

ires:

1. Amendment to the Federal eighthour law so as to secure its practical at forcement on all public works by or in the United States, whether done by other tract, sub-contract, or day's work. We misternly opposed to the evasions and violations of the present eight-hour, law by the heads of departments and officials in the Federal service.

2. A remodeling of our immigration is so as to secure an enlarged protection is

to as to secure an enlarged protection is the merican citizens and their families is se-3. Heform in the National banking are

bem and in the issuance of the current he United States to secure the people for the possibilities and disasters of financial 4. Liberal appropriations for government of public works and for the improvement of rivers and harbors.

The memorial concludes:

give a schedule of all property, exempt and unexempt and of all creditors and the amount and nathrature of the debts and the petitioner shall offer to surreader all his exempt property for a full discharge from his debts and liabilities. The petition shall be heard by the court in not less than thirty or more than ninety days. If ment of creditors who can resist the proceedings by proceedings before the court on certain commerced grounds of fraud, preference to creditors, are. Preferences within six months are vaid. Provision is made for distributing the estate among bankrupt from all liability to any of the creditors described in the schedule who obligations which shall have been created in consequence of his deficiation as a ing in any other fabricary capacity, nor any debtor obligation to any surely of the proceedings. But such discharge shall not include any public officer or as an executor administrator, guardian or as trustee, or while actionary who has paid or may pay any such fiduciary debt or any part of it, or preteness. The provision as to involuntary bankrupty is that if any debtor being any time within four months of the time of filing the petition convey or voluncreditors. Property and false a banker, broker, merchant trader or manufacturer, who owes \$500 or over shall at tarily encumber any of his property with the purpose to prefer or defrand any bankrupt to the smount of \$500 may, within four months after the act of bankrupty. The court then proceeds within thirty days to but she case. The accusacy of the hamber of the proceeds within thirty days to be prefer and any bankrupt to the amount of \$500 may, within four months after the act of bankrupty. The court then proceeds within thirty days to have the act. The accusacy of the proceeds within thirty days to have the act. The accusacy of the court of the proceeds within thirty days to have the act. The accusacy of the proceeds within thirty days to have the act. The accusacy is not at bankrupt. Pees in both classes of bankruptcy are provided, lo

"By the prompt adoption of these relia measures at the hands of congress of firmly believe some degree of prospetity may be received. may be restored and the conditions of the people bettered. We assure you the people are in no condition to be trified with They are fast becoming desperate. desire to see some of the prosperity so free ly promised on the stump six months and

"Over 2,000,000 willing workers are ide Shall they appeal to you in vala? shall the interests of trusts, syndicates, mose olies, corporations and moneyed mes re-main of more importance than the wells of the tollers? We trust not. We still be lieve the people's representatives are not they rise to the patriotism of the estimate the patriotism of the estimate of the control of the trust of the still the s es of their follow-citizens."